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Senate Bill _____
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House No. HB1428
By Bowers

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8 and Title 49, enacting the "Parental Responsibility Act."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, is amended by inserting the following as a new section:

(a) The title of this act is, and may be cited as, the "Parental Responsibility Act."

(b)(1) There is hereby designated at least one day during the school year to be known as the "Report Card Pick Up Day for Parents".

(2) A parent shall pick up their child's report card at the school on such day as provided for in subdivision (b)(1).

(3) The school shall remain open until 7:30 p.m. on such day as provided for in subdivision (b)(1) for the purpose of report card pick up by parents.

(c) Any student placed on suspension due to disruptive behavior shall be banned from any participation in school athletics or school related extra-curricular activity.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 8, Part 2 is amended by inserting the following new section:

(a) The sheriff is authorized to place juveniles picked up for any curfew violation in a community based detention center to be established by each sheriff.

(b) The community based detention center shall be separate and apart from any jail facilities.

(c) The juvenile shall be held at such detention center until picked up by the juvenile's parent or guardian.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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